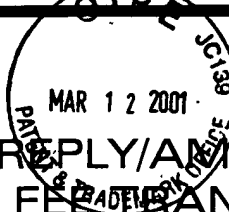


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 REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	62-226-9A	
	Application Number	09/362,693	
	Filing Date	7/29/99	
	First Named Inventor	Mills	
	Group Art Unit	1754	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$ 445	Examiner Name	Langel

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MAR 14 2001
TC 1700**FEE CALCULATION** (fees effective 10/01/97)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	104	121	0 (3)	X \$18.00 =	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	7	0	X \$78.00 =	
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>12/11/00</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$400); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,510); 5 months (\$2,060)): 3 months					890
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110)					+
Total of above Calculations =					\$890
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					-445
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$445
(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20". (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0". (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".					

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No., below.

AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 necessary to maintain pendency of the present application to:

Deposit Account No.:

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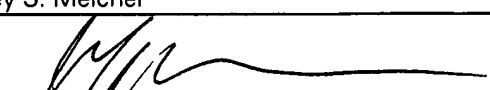
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SUBMITTED BY: Customer No. 20736

Typed Name	Jeffrey S. Melcher	Reg. No.	35,950
Signature		Date	March 12, 2001

The PTO did not receive the following listed item(s) A Check \$ 445.